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A SPECIAL purchase—3,000 yards—dainty Batiste Lawns, offered at about a third less than regular price. Bright, fresh, crisp goods, of this season's production, in a large variety of designs—white grounds with black polka dots, rings and checks, and old blue and dark blue grounds with white polka dots and figures. A very cool and attractive fabric, particularly desirable for women's dresses, dressing gowns, and kimono's, and children's dresses.

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The Practical Sorts.

THE demand at this season of the year is greatest for the neat and practical sorts of Muslin Underwear. The kinds that are in greatest demand in the laundrying, yet tasteful and nicely made. We have a large assortment of just such garments, and call especial attention to the following items, which represent excellent values:

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Women's Cambric and Nainsook Corset Covers, with low round neck and full front, variously trimmed with lace insertion, edging, embroidery, beading, and ribbon.

50c each.

Further Reductions on

Men's Straw Hats.

WE have made still further reductions on our stock of Men's Straw Hats. In fact, the new prices bear no relation whatever to the former prices—a mere fraction of their real value. All the popular styles are still here; sizes are broken, of course, but to those needing Straw Hats to finish out the season, and can be fitted, it means a considerable saving. We have divided them into two lots, as follows:

Lot 1—Clearance price, 75c each.

Were \$1.50, \$2.00, and \$2.50.

Lot 2—Clearance price, 95c each.

Were \$3.00, \$3.50, and \$4.00.

Main floor—F st.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR NOTES.

Ganton-Temple Endevors will hold a meeting at Camp Good Will to-morrow. The new evangelistic committee is devoting one night a week to services in the alleys and has charge of Central Union Mission one evening a month. Frank MacNerhaney is chairman.

The Society of Fifteenth Street Christian Church will be visited to-morrow by the Christian Endeavor Flying Wedge, composed of officers of the District Union, together with President Oney, of St. Paul's Lutheran Society. President Gates will speak for the Ingram Memorial Congregational Society.

Takoma Park Presbyterian Christian Endevors will go on a picnic at Great Falls next Tuesday evening. The third annual Christian Endeavor field day will be celebrated at Takoma Park on Labor Day.

At a recent meeting Ninth Street Christian Church Endevors discussed plans for the formation of a mission study class in the fall.

The Young People's C. E. Society of Calvary Baptist Church will send a delegation to Camp Good Will on Sunday.

CHURCH SERVICES TO-MORROW

In Washington and Its Vicinity.

Notices for these columns should reach The Herald office by 9 p. m. Friday.

EPISCOPAL

ST. THOMAS.
Near Dupont Circle, on 18th.
Services 8 and 11 a. m.
The 11 a. m. service lasts one hour.
Visitors are cordially welcomed to the services in this beautiful church.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH

24 and A st. s. e. Rev. W. L. De Vries, P. D., and Rev. R. A. Curtis, Clergy. Services 8, 10, 11, and 8.

EPHRAIM CHURCH

8 and 11 a. m., between 13th and 14th. Rev. R. H. McKim, D. D., pastor. Services 8 a. m., 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. All welcome.

PEOPLES OPEN-AIR EVENSING, MOUNT ST.

Alban, Sunday, August 14, 1910, at 4 p. m. Special services, the Very Rev. William Alexander Barr, D. D., Dean of Christ Church Cathedral, New Orleans. The service will be sung by the Cathedral choir, led by a detachment of the United States Marine Band. Take Tenth Avenue car.

PRESBYTERIAN

CHURCH OF THE COVENANT,
Conn. ave. N and 13th sts.
Charles Wood, minister.
Stewart C. Harrison, assistant minister.
Henry B. Angus, minister of Pock Chapel.

11 a. m., Rev. Sylvester Woodbridge Beach, D. D., of First Presbyterian Church, Princeton, N. J. 8 p. m., text service, Dr. Beach. Musical service from 7:30 to 8 o'clock.

CONGREGATIONAL

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, corner 19th and G sts. s. e. Rev. Samuel H. Woodrow, D. D., pastor; Rev. S. L. Swift, assistant pastor. 11 a. m., public worship, with sermon by the assistant pastor; subject, "Baptismal Discipleship." Music by the church choir. 8:30 a. m., Sunday school. 7 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E. No other evening service.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, 12th and B sts. s. e. Services Sunday, 11 a. m. Subject, "SOUL."

Sunday school, 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting, 8 o'clock. Public cordially invited. All seats free. Free reading room, 601 Colorado Bldg.

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

Mr. Hitchcock Returns To-day from Beverly, Mass.

ADMIRAL WISE AT NEWPORT

Baron von Hardenbrock, of the German Embassy, is Summering at His Home Near The Hague—Miss Thackara to Wed Vice Consul Caldwell, of Berlin—Other Social Notes.

Postmaster General Hitchcock, who has been at the summer White House at Beverly, Mass., for a few days, will return to Washington to-day.

Mrs. E. F. Harrington, accompanied by her two children and her mother, Mrs. Llewellyn Eliot, left Washington yesterday for Cumberland, Md., to join Dr. Harrington, who has been there for some weeks. Dr. Harrington has recently been made health officer of Cumberland, where he will make his future home. Mrs. Eliot will return to Washington in a fortnight.

Baron von Hardenbrock, of the German Embassy staff, is spending his vacation with his mother at her summer home, near The Hague.

Rear Admiral William C. Wise, U. S. N., retired, who has been a guest at Red Lion Inn, at Lenox, Mass., has gone to Newport.

The engagement was announced Thursday in Berlin of Miss Eleanor Thackara, daughter of the American consul general at Berlin, to Mr. Frederick W. Caldwell, the American deputy consul general, Miss Thackara is the granddaughter of the late Gen. Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Pentz Wilcox and Miss Grace Rutherford, who have been spending the summer at Glen Allen, Gaithersburg, have gone to Atlantic City.

The President and Mrs. Taft were the guests of honor at a reception yesterday afternoon given by Mrs. and Mrs. William J. Boardman at their villa in Manchester, Mass. The President and Mrs. Taft were accompanied by Miss Helen Taft, Robert Taft, Capt. Archibald Butt, the President's military aid, and Secretary Norton. Among the other guests were the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Meyer and Mr. and Mrs. John Hays Hammond.

Mrs. Eugene Hale, wife of Senator Hale, of Maine, and Mr. and Mrs. John G. Gill, of Augusta, Me., are at Bretton Woods, N. H.

Mrs. Cleveland Perkins, of this city, with the Misses Davis, of Berkeley, Cal., motored to Bretton Woods, N. H., recently.

Secretary of the Treasury MacVane left Dublin, N. H., yesterday for Europe to confer with the President. He will be a guest at the summer White House for a few days.

Mr. J. L. Reed, with a party of friends, of this city, is motoring through the White Mountains. They are making Bretton Woods their headquarters.

Comptroller of the Treasury Murray has returned to Washington from Shadron Springs, N. Y. He will leave Sunday for Atlantic City, where he will remain until September.

Miss Leona Stearns, of Norfolk, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Blum, of T street.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Philander Knox, with their son and daughter-in-law, who are making a tour, will have gone to Beverly, en route to Lake George.

The American Ambassador to Russia and Mrs. Rockefeller arrived in St. Petersburg on Thursday, after a leave of absence spent in the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Lister, who have been visiting Mr. Lister's brother, Mrs. L. Z. Lister, at Beverly, have gone to Newport on the steam yacht "Chanticleer," with a party of guests.

Miss Bessie MacDonald, of Monroe street, is visiting in New York City. She will visit several Canadian resorts before returning to Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. C. Cannon are in Europe, and will visit Mr. Cannon's birthplace, at Tuam, County Galway, Ireland.

Miss Elsie Roberts and Miss Olive Johnson have gone to Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Kaufman and daughter, Miss Alma, will leave here tomorrow for the Thousand Islands.

Mrs. Minnie Sharp and daughter, Celeste, Mrs. Helmer and son, and Miss Julia Travis, all of this city, are the guests of Mrs. Elia Powers at Catlett, near Warrenton, Va.

Mr. M. A. Sims, Jr., of this city, is visiting in Warrenton, Va.

Mrs. J. Lawrence Hayes, formerly of Washington, is in Atlantic City, where she is making an extended sojourn.

The christening of the infant daughter of the Charge d'Affaires of the Swedish Legation and Mrs. W. A. F. Ekengren will take place at Bar Harbor next Wednesday afternoon, in the Church of St. Xavier. The child will be christened Elsie Helen Augusta. Baroness Bagge-mueller, wife of the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador, and Mrs. George Lechup Bradley, of Washington, will be the godmothers, and the Minister from Sweden, Herman de Lagercrantz, and Mr. Ekengren's father, W. A. F. Ekengren, of Stockholm, will be the godfathers.

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William Phillips, secretary of the American Embassy in London, and Mrs. Phillips, the latter formerly Miss Caroline Astor Drayton, arrived in New York yesterday for a six-weeks' sojourn. They will be the guests of Mrs. Phillips' father, J. Coleman Drayton, and Mr. Phillips' mother, Mrs. John C. Phillips, during their stay in this country.

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Miss Marion R. Little, of 1113 Fourteenth street, who has been visiting in Massachusetts, has gone to Oak Bluffs, Massachusetts, for the remainder of the season.

Mrs. Philip Welsh, of Philadelphia, is chaperoning a party, including Miss Augusta Stricker, Miss Julia Bacon, and Miss May Manning, which left yesterday for a trip to Boston, St. Johns, and Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Holland and son and daughter, of Capitol Hill, have gone to Newbern, N. C.

Miss Louise T. Harrison has returned from Ashland, Va., and will be in the city a few days.

ODD FELLOWS HOPEFUL.

Three Lodges to Compete in Drills at Atlanta.

Columbia Lodge, No. 10; Canton Washington, No. 1, and Fred B. Stuart Encampment, No. 7, I. O. O. F., will leave Washington August 19 for Atlanta to participate in the annual encampment of the sovereign grand lodge.

These lodges have been drilling for the last three months, and expect to capture the \$1,000 prize offered for the best teamwork.

Word has been received from Atlanta that elaborate preparations are being made to entertain the lodges. There will be representatives from Australia, Denmark, Sweden, Cape Colony, Alaska, Germany, England, and all Europe.

REFORM IN CIVIL SERVICE.

Army Appointments to Be Localized in Twelve Districts.

In the executive and ordnance branches of the army, the United States Civil Service Commission has decided to localize all appointments, placing certification of such appointments in the hands of the District executives of the commission.

It is said that this action follows the general course to be taken in several other branches of the government service. The country is divided into twelve districts, and the secretary in charge will make certifications for appointments.

Heart and Home Talks

by Barbara Boyd

The very word "dancing" brings the thought of brightness and gaiety, and joy. It is a good artfulness to working, and the two should go hand in hand. If we danced more, danced in heart, as well as with our feet, we would go to our work more joyously.

This is the thought of those who are advocating dancing as a part of public recreation, and who are trying to provide places with proper surroundings where young people, of whatever wishes, for that matter, may dance.

They agree, and agree rightly, that it is a natural tendency to want to dance as well as to eat; that there is no more harm in the one than in the other, if proper safeguards are thrown around where they dance. Dancing is good exercise. It makes for grace and a counteracts the effects of hard, monotonous work. So general and so intense is this love of dancing that young folks will dance, if not under right conditions, then under wrong. So say those who are working for good along all lines, to provide the right environment, and let them dance.

Wayroads are provided for children, recreation places for older folks, and in some places athletic grounds for boys. Now, say those interested in this work, let there be municipal dancing places where, with proper supervision, all those who love dancing may dance. All the evil associations and influences of public dancing halls can be guarded against, by various means, and yet no unnecessary restrictions need be laid upon their freedom or fun.

The way people crowd to public dancing places, where a small admission is charged, shows how great is the love of dancing.

Girls, as a rule, do not care even for symposium work. But give them a place to dance and see how they will flock to it. Few get away from their work in the summer for more than a week; some not at all. Ninety-seven per cent of girls workers, it is said, remain at their tasks the year through without a vacation of any kind. How they would welcome a thoroughly nice, respectable place where they might dance!

Dancing makes the blood bound through the veins and brings cheer; it makes the spirit light and brings cheer. Those who dance in moderation will work all the better for it. Let the people, therefore, who are really interested in bettering the conditions of the workers give a thought to dancing.

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ORPHANS ON OUTING.

Two Thousand Little Ones Guests at Marshall Hall.

Two thousand Washington orphans enjoyed an outing yesterday at the Marshall Hall under the auspices of the Marshall Hall Steamboat Company. The sports were participated in by practically every child on the grounds, all eager to pull down the prizes offered the winners of the contests.

All day long soda water and ice cream were as free as the air, and every one was given his fill. The steamer Maeseter made two trips to the resort. The first, at 10 o'clock, carried about 1,000 children, and the 2 o'clock trip had about 500 orphans aboard.

The last boat arrived in the city at 7 o'clock last evening. Not a single accident marred the day.

TRANSFER PATTERNS.

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Braiding pattern 2 inches wide and 3 yards long, suitable for decorative corner ties or any narrow braid; and may be applied to the bottom of skirts, coats, children's clothing or household linen, the quality of the braid depending on the material, which is used for the garments to be braided. This design is especially good for the covering of the coat seams and seams of skirts and is very easily and quickly done, making attractive and useful pickup work.

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Fill out the numbered coupon and cut out pattern and inclose, with 10 cents in stamps or coin, addressed to Pattern Department, The Washington Herald, Washington, D. C.

Huge colored enamel hatpins have superseded the rhinestone for the moment, but the former, when of good quality, is always in good style.

AS THE DAYS PASS.

By FRANCES JAY.

Through the wit and the wisdom of a nurse in New Jersey the tide of the mysterious malady called "infant paralysis" seems to be turning toward the ebb. Four cases have really responded to her treatment. The accounts of this newest among the scourges have been terrifying because there seemed no one capable of venturing on any system of treatment either preventive or curative.

In the absence of definite knowledge, no theory is too wild to deserve attention—for in the multitude of counsels wisdom may lurk, as the Oriental philosopher declared.

In one household where death claimed the four-year-old boy it was reported that a hen also was afflicted with some trouble of the legs, preventing locomotion. The doctors were seeking a possible connection between the human and feathered victims.

One might ask, is not life too smooth? Our concrete streets and granolithic sidewalks, our parquet floors and tiled baths, all level, so the muscles of the feet and legs must be held in practically one position—there is nothing for the toes to grasp. Would one's hands not wither if always held wide open and cased in heavy, unyielding covering?

The latest nerve cure is walking on the sand barefoot at the seashore. The theory is that as every muscle is brought into play the nerves of sensation, excited by the prick of the sand and the brain notified of the unusual condition of the feet, circulation of the blood is promoted and the whole body is benefited. To prove that relief is felt when too much level sidewalk tires, just step on the grass border.

To return to the hen and leg weakness. Chicken fanciers know it is not an uncommon condition under certain mistakes of feeding and lack of exercise. If taken in hand with vigor the cure can be cured, but it is not easy. A little housewife in the northwest part of town was proud to have a hen willing to set in midwinter; so to make the hatch a success, Biddy was brought into the house. When the dozen chicks appeared they were put in a concrete cellar and fed on milk, bread, and eggs. When nearly large enough for the broiler the owner was dismayed to find all of them fluttering about on their drumsticks, as she called it, the feet and lower legs being useless to the first joint. Common sense told the little lady to put those useless legs to work; so quickly trash and straw was put over the concrete and bits of bone and meat thrown about, which, sinking into the straw, had to be dug for by the chicks if they would eat. It was a case of "Root hog, or die!" and they rooted. Slowly, under exercise and muscle-building food, they recovered, and all came to the table at last.

This would seem to have no parallel in the case of infants, though it might apply to little people always walking in shoes flat-footed on a smooth surface, but now that that strength savor—the go-cart—is abroad in the land, very young children are strapped into a sitting position where, held stiffly for hours at a time, the circulation in the lower limbs must almost cease. It is also possible that the spine receives many a jar that the growing child does not guess, as some of the carts are practically without springs. In the more roomy carriage the child has more use of its feet, and one can see the little legs kicking and the baby squirming in muscle-building enjoyment. But—the carriages are too large to get in the modern apartments.

There has been such an outcry about the cost of living, coupled with the idea that we eat too much, that it is likely parents are tempted to reduce the quantity and quality of the food supply from necessity or from conviction that so much is needless; but as one cannot build a strong house without good material, and plenty of it, neither can a child be well built without food and exercise.

An interesting experiment was recently tried with a phonograph and many films and the latest thing in the picture-taking machine at the Zoo for the purpose of noting the effect of certain music on animals, wild and tame. The trick was to turn on the photograph loaded with a gay, alternated with a grave, bit of melody, near a cage and snap shot the victim of the serenade in the various postures with which he expressed his emotions. The result has not yet been made public, but it is safe to say it will be a curious exhibit, for the report is that some very interesting films are secured and the animals received the musical dose in many moods.

There is a small miss in Massachusetts avenue who can tell something about music that did not charm the savage breast out of her own experience. She was a lonely little thing, having been born out to a great aunt, and her dog was sent away because he howled at night on account of being frightened to the stable, and her canary was also banished, as it sang all day because it hadn't gone with the dog. So, needing something to love, she got an old land terrapin. It was quiet enough. For the first ten days she did not get a glimpse of its nose, even. The hermit steadfastly refusing to emerge from its shell, she thought she would try the magic of her voice, like she had heard at school; and hardly had she tuned up her small vocal pipes, when the beast came very suddenly to life—that is, suddenly for a terrapin—and one leg after the other, and head and tail got into the engagement, and he toddled away with a thud against the far chair-board.

Various trials proved this no accident, so the little girl made a cart for her smallest doll, and a harness and collar, the hermit's so-called middle, and when it was time for the doll's airing the little driver began to sing, and the terrapin would keep on moving, if headed right, as long as the song was continued.

The young "deserters" who complained of the food on the Ozark are a reminder of the story by which a very gallant officer of the navy gained a souvenir which clung to him from his first cruise to his last. On his first appearance aboard the training ship, way back in the '90s, he was a real Willie-boy, and the impression certainly was not lessened by his opening remark, which was to the effect that mamma said he must have milk for breakfast always. This was years before the art of canning milk or anything else had been discovered, and hen-o'-war were not provisioned with live stock, so one can imagine the glee with which this naive dame was received. On the spot Willie-boy was christened "milkpinner's calf," and he never lived it down.

White hostery is still in vogue, and tans, browns, and colors to match costumes are still popular. Many beautiful designs appear in the openwork and embroidered styles.

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Summer NEEDS At Little Prices

ARTICLES that cost little, but will be found indispensable during the summer months.

Old Colonial Water Tumblers, doz. 50c
Clear Pressed Glass Tumblers, doz. 25c
Thin-blown Tumblers, doz. 35c
Glass Berry and Ice Cream Sauces, doz. 60c
Lemonade or Sherbet Cups, doz. 60c
Glass Lemon Juice Extractors, 5c and 10c
Lemonade or Iced Tea Tumblers, doz. 10c
Lemon Squeezers, aluminum bowl, 30c
Hardwood Lemon Squeezers, 75c
Anti-rust Lemon Knives, 40c
Lemonade Straws, 100 for 1c
Refrigerator Baskets for picnic parties, 100 for 1c
Paper Napkins, 100 for 1c
Thermos Bottles, \$3.00 up

Water Pitcher Special.